

Summary of NGO Activities:

Who? Canadian non-governmental organizations and Canadian NGO coalitions, primarily through partner work in Guatemala. 10-15 years of Canadian NGO work in Guatemala have resulted in effective partnerships with Guatemalan NGOs, and now, with the signing of the Accords, some new spaces have been created for peace-nurturing support.

What?

- human rights monitoring both in the field and of the Accords
 - human rights advocacy training in the field on socioeconomic, land and labour rights - all related to impunity
 - peacebuilding training in mediation, negotiation, local conflict resolution methods, traditional peace education work and curricula in areas such as home and work safety
 - information dissemination and public education (a little in Canada)
 - health and education through primarily infrastructure development work
 - agricultural projects
 - emergency assistance work for repatriated refugees and displaced persons
- *strong focus throughout on supporting women and indigenous peoples